

# what's happening at ctk...



#### A NOTE FROM PASTOR MIKE

Join us today for a message titled, "The Life You've Always Wanted." As we approach a new year, people often make resolutions they rarely, if ever keep. Maybe now is the time to do something different. Jesus says, "I have come that they might have life, and that they might have it more abundantly" -John 10:10. And he shows us the way to this abundant life. Are you up for a different kind of New Year's resolution in 2026? One that can and will work!



## YOUNGISH COUPLES & SINGLES— NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY

# THIS WEEK! Wednesday | December 31 | 4:00 - 9:00 PM | The Way Home

We're thrilled to invite you to a special night of connection, laughter, fellowship and good food at the home of Pastor Brandon and Michelle Way. Join us as we ring in the New Year (New York time)!

Food will not be provided, so please register to bring an appetizer, side dish, main dish, salad, or dessert to share.

We'll have a smorgasbord of fun food! BYOB - Bring your own beverage.

We will be playing a re-gift exchange game so bring those gifts you don't want from Christmas (please no alcohol). We can't wait to spend this memorable evening together—it's going to be a night full of fun, delicious food, meaningful connection and kids are welcome. Parking is limited, so we encourage you to carpool.

Contact Michelle Way.

#### READ THE NEW TESTAMENT IN 2026 — PASTOR MIKE'S DAILY BREAD

## **BEGINNING THIS WEEK!** Daily Monday - Friday | Online | All Year

Walk with us through the New Testament in 2026! The format will be slightly different this year. We will read five chapters per week, this time taking two to three verses and deep dive into their meaning and life application.

Being in God's Word on a daily basis, is key to living the life that Jesus calls us to live. If you have previously registered for this blog you do not need to register again. If you are new to the Daily Bread blog, you can register through the Church Center app > Events > Read Through the New Testament in a Year and you will start receiving the daily emails. Even if you can't complete the readings every day, the important thing is to be in God's Word on a consistent and regular basis. Contact Pastor Mike Anderson.

#### **HOLY SPIRIT NIGHT**

# First Sunday of Each Month | January 4 | 6:00 PM | Sanctuary

Join us for a short message followed by a time dedicated to worship. These services have proven to be an impactful time to acknowledge and welcome the powerful workings of the *Holy Spirit*. Contact Pastor Brandon

# OK CLUB (OLDER KIDS CLUB) — BLESSED HOUR AT THE ALLEN'S

## Tuesday | January 6 & February 17 | 3:00 - 5:00 PM | The Allen Home

If you feel like the days are short and the nights are long, that's because they are! If you're 60+, join us for food, fellowship and the sunset on January 6 from 3:00 - 5:00 PM. Bring an appetizer to share and the beverage of your choice. Contact Sharon and Doug Allen.

## KENYA MISSION TRIP — INFORMATIONAL MEETING

## January 11 | 9:30 - 10:30 AM | Fireside Room

CTK is heading back to Africa! In 2007, we took our first mission trip to Kenya as a church. Almost twenty years later, in 2026, we will be making that trip again. This is an informational meeting for you to learn details and for the church to gauge interest. Contact Pastor Brandon Way.



# MISSION TRIP — COLINA DE LUZ ORPHANAGE (MEXICO)

# Friday & Saturday | March 6 - 7 | Tijuana, MX

This trip is organized by *Reaching the Hungry* and is led by Pastor Carlos Sales, a local Fallbrook Pastor. We will be working on various projects at the orphanage, interacting with the kids and sharing the *Good News* with them in fun ways. Stay tuned for registration information! Contact Pastor Mike Anderson.

# PRECEPT WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY -

# THE WORD BECAME FLESH: A STUDY OF THE GOSPEL OF JOHN

# NEW BIBLE STUDY! Mondays | Beginning January 5 – February 2 & February 23 – March 16 9:00 AM | Fireside Room

How well do you know the Son of God? Are you convinced that what He said about Himself is true? "Come and see" who Jesus is. We will explore Jesus's life and ministry, discover profound truths about His identity as the Son of God. All are welcome, regardless of your familiarity with the Bible. There will be two study options available for this class. The first week's lesson needs to be completed prior to class on January 5. Contact Susan Baglien.

#### **NOURISHING YOUR FAITH — THE PROMISE OF HEAVEN**

# NEW BIBLE STUDY! Mondays | January 5 - March 9 | 5:00 PM | Fireside Room Tuesdays | January 6 - March 10 | 1:00 PM | Library

In this encouraging and hopeful book, Dr. David Jeremiah opens the pages of the Bible to answer your most persistent questions about heaven. God hasn't left us in the dark about our eternal home. He's given us vivid pictures, solid promises, and detailed direction, so that we can have assurance in this life of where we will spend the next. It's all right there in the Bible! Contact Pastor Tom Deans.

# WOMEN'S BIBLE STUDY — BLESSED AND BOLD, EMPOWERED SISTERS (BABES)

# Every Other Tuesday | Resuming January 13 | 5:30 - 8:00 PM | Drazil Home

For the youngish women of *CTK*, we invite you to an in-depth study of Psalms. We will explore it's theology, emotion and rich expressions of worship that shape our understanding of who our Father is. Contact Michelle Way.

#### BIBLE STUDY WITH THE PASTORS — THE STORY

Wednesdays | Resuming January 7 | 10:00 AM | Library This group will be taking a break the week of New Year's.

## JOHN, THE BELOVED, PART 2 — A STUDY OF THE GOSPEL OF JOHN

#### **COMING SOON!** Wednesdays | Beginning January 7 | 4:00 or 6:00 PM | Fireside Room

The first gathering for this study will be Wednesday, January 7 at 6:00 PM, for a review of Part I and an Introduction to Part II. After the first meeting, those who are joining the study will have an option of two study times: 4:00 PM (no childcare available), or 6:00 PM, with childcare. Having two class times allows the option of being in one class, but the ability to attend the other, if you have a time conflict on a particular Wednesday.

Part II opens with John 12:12 and continues through Chapter 19, as Jesus prepares the people and His disciples for His death on the cross. Classes will not meet during Lent. When the study resumes April 15, the lessons turn to chapters 20 and 21 studying the time of Jesus' Resurrection and Ascension. By adding Acts 1 and 2, our study will discover what happens when Jesus returns to the Father and the disciples begin their ministry through the power of the Holy Spirit. This will be an exciting series of lessons that coincide with the Church Calendar.

Please share information about the second part of John, the Beloved, with others, and encourage them to become a part of this dynamic, interactive study of John. Contact Pamela or Neil Nevills.

#### CHRONOLOGICAL BIBLE STUDY

#### Thursdays | Resuming January 8 | 10:00 AM | Fireside Room

Join us for this chronological Bible study that rearranges the biblical texts, breaking up traditional books and weaving them together to present events in the order they historically happened, from Creation to Revelation, offering a cohesive story of God's plan. Contact Pastor Tom Deans.

# MEN'S BIBLE STUDY — REVELATION

## 2nd - 5th Saturdays | Ongoing | 8:00 AM | Fireside Room

Join the men of CTK on Saturdays as we deep dive, verse-by-verse, through the book of *Revelation*.

Contact Pastor Brandon Way.

